

MARYLAND MEDICAID ADVISORY COMMITTEE MONTHLY WAIVER REPORTS
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WAIVER AMENDMENTS & RENEWALS	PURPOSE	SUBMITTED TO CMS	APPROVED	COMMENTS
Waiver for Older Adults	Resubmitted a waiver amendment to merge LAH and WOA programs into a consolidated waiver called Home and Community-Based Options (HCBO) Waiver.	December 23, 2013		Resubmitted with all agreed upon changes 9/24/14 Working with CMS on corresponding 1915(b)(4) to limit case management in order for them to approve 1915(c). Submit to CMS by August 31, 2015 – a study documenting the development and basis for the waiver rates demonstrating that the rates are economic and efficient. By October 31, 2015 – Amend the waiver application to reflect the findings of the study.
Autism Waiver	Submitted renewal application.	March 14, 2014	9/24/14	Submit to CMS by August 31, 2015 – a study documenting the development and basis for the waiver rates demonstrating that the rates are economic and efficient. By October 31, 2015 – Amend the waiver application to reflect the findings of the study.
1915(b)(4) to go along with State Plan Amendment for TCM	To limit mental health case management providers	June 27, 2014	9/25/14	1915(i) approved on 10/14/14